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Park Avenue Synagogue To Honor David Parker, Dr. Dorothy Denburg, and Jerry Goodman

During the Simhat Torah service on Friday morning, October 8, 1993, Park Avenue Synagogue will honor three very special congregants: David Parker; Dr. Dorothy Denburg; and Jerry Goodman for their contributions to our synagogue and to the Jewish community.

David Parker will be called to the Torah as Hatan Torah; Dr. Dorothy Denburg as Kallah Mafteret; Jerry Goodman as Hatah Bereshit.

Following the service, which begins at 9:15 A.M., the congregation is invited to a buffet luncheon and reception on the Lower Level in honor of the honorees and their families.

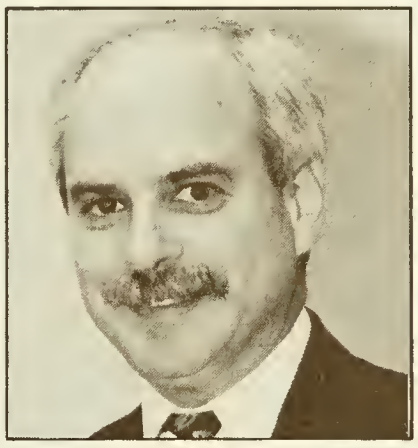
David Parker

David Parker, recently elected to the office of secretary of the congregation, is a 1969 graduate of Brown University, with an A.B. in applied mathematics. He attended Yale Law School, earning his J.D. in 1973.

Members of the Park Avenue Synagogue for approximately 12 years, David and Ronnie Parker began their active involvement here as co-presidents of the Couples Club. Since then, David, in particular (we'll save Ronnie for another time), has served the synagogue in numerous ways. He has been a member of the Board of Trustees of the congregation for six years and served on the committee which drafted the synagogue's new by-laws. Along with Ronnie, he has chaired the synagogue's Planning Committee and hosted the New Members' Reception. He has served on the Shabbat Dinner Committee, the Jewish Theological Seminary Dinner Committee and the Committee for the Homeless and Community Outreach. He has been a vice president of the Men's Club for several years and an associate member of the Women's Evening Group. Along with his recent duties as secretary, David has been appointed to be the new chairman of the synagogue's Finance Committee.

David is also one of several congregants who have delighted us with their beautiful shofar-blowing on the High Holy Days.

David has been in the private practice of law since 1973 and is a principal of the law firm of Kleinberg, Kaplan, Wolff & Cohen, P.C. where he specializes in corporate, commercial, and securities litigation. His law firm has conducted pro-bono work for the Park Avenue Synagogue that resulted in a substantial recovery. In addition, for the past 15 years, David has been on the Board of Directors of Legal Services for New York City, an umbrella organization which provides civil, legal assistance to the poor in New York City.



David Parker

Dr. Dorothy Denburg

Jerry Goodman

Born in New York City, David grew up in White Plains, N.Y. There his family belonged to Temple Israel Center, a Conservative congregation, where David received his Jewish education and was active in the Junior Congregation and in the temple's youth group. He continued his Jewish affiliation at Brown University where he was president of the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation.

David is an amateur photographer, is responsible for the network computer system at his law firm, and plays tennis, a few hobbies when he finds the time outside of law and Park Avenue Synagogue.

Ronnie Parker shares David's commitment to Jewish activities and PAS. She is the Operations Coordinator of the Coalition for the Advancement of Jewish Education, and David and Ronnie have attended the last three CAJE Conferences (along with several PAS representatives). They have a three-year-old son, Joshua Seth.

Given his life-long connectedness to Jewish communal life and his many contributions to the Park Avenue Synagogue, it is not at all surprising that David Parker has been recognized by the synagogue as worthy of being elected an officer of the congregation and honored as Hatan Torah on Simhat Torah — both in the same year! We are confident that his commitment to Jewish life will continue to grow and that he will be willing and able to contribute for many years to come.

Dorothy Urman Denburg

Dorothy Denburg and her husband, Howard, joined Park Avenue Synagogue 14 years ago, and Dorothy became active in the Parents Association when her oldest daughter, Michelle, now 17, was five years old. Dorothy served two terms as president of the Parents Association and was instrumental in initiating several special programs such as the religious school's participation in the Israel Day Parade, Holocaust education programs for both parents and children, and a Yom Hashoah Program, some of which have become annual events, as well as in organizing a panel discussion, in conjunction with the Women's Evening Group, on the practices and modes of influence of cults, especially as they affect young Jewish people.

Subsequently, she has served on the School Board of the synagogue for the last several years, including the school's Search Committees for educational directors of the Early Childhood Center and the religious school, and has chaired the School Board for the past one and a half years. She also serves as a member of the National Commission on Jewish Education of the United Synagogue of America.

In addition, Dorothy was a founding member of the Young Couples Club, which predated the current Couples Club.

Dorothy Denburg graduated with honors in English from Barnard College. She obtained both a

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Schedule of Religious Services

Friday evening, September 3 .....6:15 P.M.
Saturday morning, September 4 .....9:15 A.M.
Monday morning, September 6 .....9:00 A.M.
Bar Mitzvah of Samuel Weisberg
son of Dr. & Mrs. Richard Weisberg
Friday evening, September 10 .....6:15 P.M.
Park Avenue Synagogue Singles Service & Oneg Shabbat .....8:15 P.M.
Saturday morning, September 11 .....9:15 A.M.
Bat Mitzvah of Vanessa Kramer
daughter of Mrs. Donna Kramer
Saturday evening, September 11.....10:00 P.M.
Selihot Service

ROSH HASHANAH SERVICES

Wednesday evening, September 15.....5:45 P.M.
Erev Rosh Hashanah
Thursday morning, September 16 .....8:30 A.M.
First Day of Rosh Hashanah
Thursday evening, September 16.....5:45 P.M.
Friday morning, September 17 .....8:30 A.M.
Second Day of Rosh Hashanah
Friday evening, September 17 .....6:15 P.M.
Saturday morning, September 18 .....9:15 A.M.
Shabbat Shuvah
Bat Mitzvah of Jennifer Greene
daughter of Dr. & Mrs. Richard Greene

YOM KIPPUR SERVICES

Friday afternoon, September 24.....1:30 P.M.
Minhah Service
Friday evening, September 24.....6:30 P.M.
Kol Nidre
Saturday morning, September 25 .....9:00 A.M.
Saturday afternoon, September 25.....3:00 P.M.
Yizkor Memorial Service

SUKKOT SERVICES

Wednesday evening, September 29.....5:45 P.M.
Erev Sukkot
Thursday morning, September 30 .....9:15 A.M.
First Day of Sukkot
Thursday evening, September 30.....5:45 P.M.
Friday morning, October 1 .....9:15 A.M.
Second Day of Sukkot
Friday evening, October 1 .....6:15 P.M.
Congregational Shabbat Sukkah Dinner
(By Advance Reservation Only)
Saturday morning, October 2.....9:15 A.M.
Shabbat Hol Hamoed Sukkot
Bat Mitzvah of Caroline Barnard
daughter of David and Janice Barnard

Rabbi David H. Lincoln and Rabbi Elana Zaiman will preach and conduct the services together with Cantor David Lefkowitz and Cantor Judith Naimark and the Synagogue High Holy Day Choir, with Neil Robinson at the organ.

From the Rabbi's Desk

I found these thoughts in one of my files. I think they were written by my dear colleague Rabbi Saul Teplitz, and they certainly give us food for thought as we approach the High Holydays.

1. There is the story of an angry reader who stormed into the newspaper office waving the current edition, asking to see the obituary column editor. He shouted, "I am alive and you listed me as dead. I demand a retraction!" The reported said, "We never retract a story, but we'll put you in the birth column and give you a fresh start!" On Rosh Hashanah we are being given the opportunity for a fresh start as we are inscribed in the Book of Life.

2. Rabbi Adin Steinsaltz suggests that any act of spiritual improvement requires a leap of faith. He draws the analogy of a person standing at the edge of the seashore wanting to swim. He cannot go from a standing position to a swimming stature without lifting his feet off the ground and leaving the earth behind. Similarly, during these Days of Awe we must muster the courage to plunge and start swimming in The World of Teshuvah.

In the same vein, it is told of the legendary Russian ballet dancer Nijinsky who was renowned for his uncanny ability to leap in such a way as to hang suspended in the air. When asked how he accomplished this remarkable feat, he responded, "I simply leap and pause." On Rosh Hashanah we have the chance to leap and pause. We can leap to heights we never reached before by breaking away from old patterns and freeing ourselves from the chains of our self-destructive ways and habits.

3. Tolstoy tells a story of a Russian painter named Bryulov who was also an art teacher. One day, Tolstoy watched Bryulov touch up a pupil's work and it came to life. All that the painting needed was a slight correction here and there to make it into a fine work of art. Many of us need just a little "touching up" in our canvas of life.

4. In discussing the meaning of teshuvah, the Kotzker Rebbe asked his disciples, "What is the distance between East and West?" One said, "a million miles"; another said, "infinity." With a smile, the rebbe said in Yiddish, "ein klein drei," one small turn.

— Rabbi David H. Lincoln

Congratulations

The congregation offers a hearty Mazal Tov to:

Mr. & Mrs. Herman Berger, upon the birth of their first great grandchild, Andrew Marcus.

Mr. & Mrs. Gerald R. Schiller, upon the engagement of their son, Scott Schiller, to Melissa Glaser.

Selihot Service September 11

The Selihot service, which sets the tone for the High Holy Days, will take place this year on Saturday evening, September 11.

The coffee hour which usually precedes the lecture and service will be held at 8:15 P.M., followed by the lecture at 9 P.M. This year, it will be given by Rabbi Richard M. Yellin, advisor to the Mayor of Beer-Sheva, Israel, and director of the Office of Foreign Affairs and External Relations for the city.

His volunteer activities in Israel include being a board member of the Volunteers for Israel program where he has lectured at over 50 army bases and spoken to more than 5000 volunteers from all over the world.

Prior to Rabbi Yellin's aliyah in February, 1992, he was, for 16 years, the spiritual leader of Mishkan Tefila in Newton, Massachusetts. This congregation numbers approximately 1000 families and was the oldest Conservative congregation in New England and the third oldest in the area.

Rabbi Yellin will speak on Rosh Hashanah and the Biblical Beer-Sheva and will also discuss the city of Beer-Sheva as it is today.

It is traditional for Jews to listen to a lecture and recite penitential prayers on the Saturday evening before Rosh Hashanah. This is done to prepare both intellectually and spiritually for the High Holy Days.

The usual Choral Meditation will take place at 9:45 P.M., followed by the actual Selihot service at 10 P.M. during which Cantor David Lefkowitz, and the synagogue's High Holy Day Choir directed by Neil Robinson, will chant the traditional Selihot liturgy, with prayers led by Rabbi David H. Lincoln. This is truly one of the most beautiful and meaningful services of the entire liturgical year.

Plan to attend this lecture and service to prepare yourself for the High Holy Days in a traditional Jewish way.

Park Avenue Synagogue Has a New Exclusive Caterer — Newman & Leventhal

Beginning August 23 of this year, Newman & Leventhal, a third generation family catering establishment founded in 1908 and one of the oldest and finest kosher caterers on the East Coast, became Park Avenue Synagogue's new exclusive caterer. This company also has exclusive affiliations with four other prominent synagogues and does kosher catering at major hotels in the New York area.

For an appointment to speak to **them about your** bar/bat mitzvah or wedding simhah, please call them through the synagogue office. The catering office is located on the Lower Level of the synagogue.

Park Avenue Synagogue Welcomes Its New Assistant Rabbi – Elana Zaiman

Beginning August 1, 1993, Rabbi Elana Zaiman became Park Avenue Synagogue's second female assistant rabbi.

She is a graduate of George Washington University in Washington, D.C. where she obtained her B.A. degree with honors and academic distinction in 1984. There, she majored in religion, with a minor in psychology, and went on to earn both an M.S.W degree from the Columbia University School of Social Work and a master's degree in Judaic Studies from The Jewish Theological Seminary of America in 1988.

Thereafter, she entered the University of Judaism's Rabbinical School in Los Angeles where she earned a B.A. in Hebrew literature in May, 1990, as well as the Pressman Scholarship for academic excellence, the Fischer Award for superior speech writing, and was the graduation speaker at the Graduate School of Judaica.

Subsequently, she did her rabbinic internship at the Center for Learning and Leadership (CLAL) and obtained her Rabbinic Ordination from The Jewish Theological Seminary of America this past May, 1993 where she delivered a commencement address on behalf of her class.

Rabbi Zaiman's professional congregational experience includes serving as a youth service leader for two congregations in California and as a rabbinic intern at the Summit Jewish Community Center in Summit, New Jersey. At the latter, she delivered sermons and *divrei Torah*, taught adult education classes in Hebrew poetry, and served as hospital chaplain.

Her adult education experience consisted of: acting as both program director and later acting director of Tufts University's B'nai Brith Hillel Chapter; adult program associate at the Brandeis-Bardin Institute in Brandeis, California; and associate scholar-in-residence at the Collegiate Institute of the Brandeis-Bardin Institute.

Her youth education experience includes: youth work in USY's Israel program; teaching at Camp Ramahs in the Poconos, Wisconsin, Canada, and California; and teaching at two Hebrew schools in California.

Rabbi Zaiman is the author of the following articles: "Choosing a Life Rich in Spiritual Content" and "Havdalah. Separation. Distinction." published in *Direction*, in Spring, 1989 and Fall, 1990; "A Dialogue with Tradition," published in the *G.W.Forum*, in Spring, 1992; and "Grappling with 'Tradition and Change,'" published in *Masoret*, in Fall, 1992, vol. 2, no.1.

Park Avenue Synagogue's New Assistant Cantor – Judith Naimark – Began in July To Rave Reviews

Cantor Judith Naimark is a 1993 graduate of the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion School of Sacred Music. A native of Boston, Mass., she lived in various communities throughout the Northeast in her early years before settling in Forest Hills, Queens in 1967.

It was at the Forest Hills Jewish Center that Judy first officiated as a cantor and Torah reader in the Junior Congregation. She also developed a great love for the synagogue service thanks to the inspiration of the congregation's wonderful cantor, Erno Grosz. Judy later served as a Junior Congregation club leader and was the valedictorian of her Hebrew high school class.

Cantor Naimark began studying voice while in junior high school. She went on to attend the High School of Music and Art and Queens College, where she earned a B.A. in music and graduated summa cum laude. She spent three seasons with the Zamir Chorale of New York and has presented solo programs of folk music to Jewish groups throughout the New York area, as well as made opera appearances.

In 1987, while alto soloist in a High Holiday choir, Judy was encouraged by Cantor Robert Bloch to apply to the School of Sacred Music. She feels privileged to name Cantor David Lefkowitz among the fine hazzanim with whom she studied at the school.

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In Celebration of the High Holy Days

In Our Homes

Rosh Hashanah

Rosh Hashanah is both a solemn and a festive occasion. Its joy is spiritually disciplined by the sacred traditions of home and synagogue. Although the observance of the High Holy Days is centered in the synagogue, it is in the home where family members prepare to meet the New Year in a spirit of faith and in a mood conducive to prayer and soul-searching.

White is thought of as the color which symbolizes purity and joy. Thus the table is set with a white tablecloth and flowers, candles and wine. Round hallot, symbolizing a full round year, apples and a dish of honey for a sweet year complete the symbolic representations on the holiday table.

The family gathers together for the lighting of the candles and kiddush which precede the festive meal on both nights of Rosh Hashanah. The following blessings are recited over the candles:

Barukh Atah Adonai Eloheinu Melekh Haolam, asher kideshanu bemitzvotav vetzivanu lehadlik ner shel Yom Tov.

Blessed are You, O Lord our God, King of the Universe, whose mitzvot add holiness to our lives and who gave us the mitzvah to kindle light for the Festival.

Barukh Atah Adonai Eloheinu Melekh Haolam, sheheheyanu vekiyemanu vehigiyanu lazman hazeh.

Blessed are You, O Lord our God, King of the Universe, who has kept us in life, preserved us, and enabled us to reach this season.

After the Rosh Hashanah kiddush, the Motzi is recited over the round hallah:

Barukh Atah Adonai Eloheinu Melekh Haolam, hamotzi lehem min ha-aretz.

Blessed are You, O Lord our God, King of the Universe, who brings forth bread from the earth.

Then all the members of the family dip the apple in honey and recite the following blessing and prayer:

Yehi ratzon milefanekhah Adonai Eloheinu v'Elohei avoteinu,shetehadesh aleiynu shanah tovah umetukah.

May it be Thy Will, 0 Lord our God, to renew unto us a happy and sweet New Year.

After the morning services of Rosh Hashanah, a festive meal is also eaten, preceded by the daytime kiddush and the Motzi:

Tiku vahodesh shofar, bakeseh l'yom hagenu, kihok l' Yisraelhu, mishpat l'Elohey Yaaqkov.

Barukh Atah Adonai Eloheinu Melekh Haolam, borei pri hagafen.

The greeting on Rosh Hashanah is L'Shanah Tovah Tikatavu — May you be inscribed for a good year.

Yom Kippur

Yom Kippur is the one religious occasion which is observed entirely in the synagogue. But the meal which precedes the fast of Erev Yom Kippur is intended to be a spiritual experience for the entire family. The meal is eaten early so that the family can be in the synagogue before sundown.

Following the *Birkat haMazon* — the grace after meals — the holiday candles are lit and the following blessings are recited:

Barukh Atah Adonai Eloheinu Melekh Haolam, asher kideshanu bemitzvotav vetzivanu lehadlik ner shel Yom HaKippurim.

Blessed are You, O Lord our God, King of the Universe, who has sanctified us by The Commandments and has commanded us to kindle the Yom Kippur lights.

Barukh Atah Adonai Eloheinu Melekh Haolam, sheheheyanu vekiyemanu vehigiyanu lazman hazeh.

Blessed are You, 0 Lord our God, King of the Universe, who has kept us in life, preserved us, and enabled us to reach this season.

Fasting

Although children are not obligated to fast until they are Bar/Bat Mitzvah age, it is a tradition that they do observe the fast in part, to the extent they are able.

Self-denial in food and other physical pleasures is part of the tradition of this "Sabbath of Sabbaths." However, Jewish law and tradition state that the maintenance of life and health is a prime religious duty. If a person is ill or weak, it is the obligation of the individual to consult a physician on the wisdom of fasting.

Memorial Lights

It is a custom to light a Memorial Light for the deceased in each family. Memorial Lights must be lit before the holiday candles are lit.

Blessing the Children

It is the tradition that before leaving for the Kol Nidre service, parents bless their children by placing their hands on the head of each one. Such blessings are introduced by the following prayer, to which parents can add words of their own, appropriate for the age and needs of each child:

For Sons: May God make you a true, faithful and honorable son of Israel, as were Ephraim and Menasseh, the sons of Joseph.

For Daughters: May God make you a faithful and honorable daughter of Israel, as were our mothers Sarah, Rebecca, Rachel, and Leah.

Forgiveness

At this time, just before leaving the house to attend the Kol Nidre service, members of the family ask each other for forgiveness for the wrongs or the hurts they have done, knowingly or unknowingly, during the year.

In Our Congregation

Shabbat Shuvah

The Sabbath that falls between Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur is called Shabbat Shuvah, from the Haftarah portion of that Sabbath which begins with the word Shuvah, meaning "return" (repent).

For the Hearing Impaired

Through the generosity of Mrs. Samuel Wimpfheimer. it is now possible for those who are hearing impaired to use head sets while attending services. Please inform the synagogue office if you wish to avail yourself of this convenience.

Tzedakah

As a caring community, congregants are asked to consider the needs of the synagogue at the Kol Nidre Appeal and the two social outreach programs which it supports year round: The Food Pantry and the Committee For The Homeless & Community Outreach.

Congregants are asked to respond as generously as possible to the Kol Nidre Appeal. The funds generated by this annual campaign help balance the annual budget of the synagogue which includes the Religious School program and social service outreach programs.

The Food Pantry, operated by our High School students, supplies food packages to more than one hundred poor families in our neighborhood. The cost of this program is $10 per family, per week. Let your heart dictate to you how you wish to support this important project.

The Committee For The Homeless & Community Outreach, in cooperation with an established and recognized social service agency, Women in Need, supplies bed/bath/kitchen linen gift packages to families who are moving from Women In Need shelters into their own apartments. The Committee also works in cooperation with the Metropolitan New York Coordinating Council on Jewish Poverty to help Soviet Jewish immigrants with their needs.

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This fall, study on Tuesday at
THE SHERR INSTITUTE OF ADULT JEWISH STUDIES

Curriculum:

Talmud on Tuesday Morning – Rabbi David H. Lincoln (every Tuesday morning starting Oct. 12, 7:45 – 8:45 A.M.; services at 7:15 A.M.). Study of Tractate Ta'anit. Discussion of fast days, responses to disastrous events, festive occasions during the year, etc.

Tuesday Evening 7:00 – 8:15 P.M.

The Call of the Heart: Echoes from the Depths – Rabbi Elana Zaiman (10 Tuesday evenings beginning Oct. 5). A survey of Jewish longing in modern Israeli poetry and its antecedents in classical Jewish texts. Knowledge of Hebrew not required.

Behind the Jewish Headlines – Mr. J.J. Goldberg (Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26). Inside perspective on breaking issues affecting the Jewish community. The Middle East peace process; American Jewish politics and the right to dissent; Jews, Blacks and the new anti-Semitism; the politics of Jewish continuity.

Park Avenue Synagogue, 1933-1987: A Personal Recollection – Rabbi Judah Nadich (Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23). The history, philosophy and traditions of the preeminent Conservative synagogue in New York City.

The World of Russian and Eastern European Jewry – Mr. Samuel Norich (Nov. 30, Dec. 7, 14). A political and sociological overview after the fall of the Soviet Union. The impact of communism on anti-Semitism; beginnings of free expression under Glasnost; Jewish remnants in the Baltics, Ukraine and Poland.

Women and Tallitot – Rabbi Lori Forman (Nov. 2, 9, 16). An inquiry into the mitzvah of wearing tzitzit, and a hands-on tallit-making workshop.

Intermediate Hebrew I – Mrs. Vivian Finkel. Prerequisite: Beginners Hebrew. The study of the prayers, holidays and life-cycle events.

(Note: Beginners Hebrew will be offered in the spring term.)

Tuesday Evening 8:30 – 9:45 P.M.

Exploring Judaism: An Introduction to Jewish Life – Rabbi Elana Zaiman (10 Tuesday evenings beginning Oct. 5). An informal discussion-oriented class exploring life-cycle events, holidays, prayer, theology, philosophy and history.

Psychology in the Bible – Prof. Murray H. Lichtenstein (Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26). Study of the rich spectrum of emotions, states of mind, relationships, personality developments and psychological processes depicted in the Bible.

The Formative Years of the Jewish People – Rabbi Joseph A. Brodie (Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, Dec. 7). The Biblical period after the conquest and before the Monarchy as reflected in the Books of Judges and I Samuel. The trials of a new people in a new land struggling to articulate their faith amidst complex tribal relationships.

Intermediate, Hebrew II – Mrs. Vivian Finkel. Prerequisite: Intermediate Hebrew or equivalent. Enhancement of Hebrew language skills.

OTHER OFFERINGS

Visit to the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum in Washington – Thursday, November 18.

Jewish Book Discussion Group – Ms. Pat Davidson (5 Monday evenings throughout the year, 8 – 9:15 P.M.; dates to be announced). Recently published books on contemporary Jewish issues. *Sleeping on a Wire* by David Grossman to be discussed at first meeting on Nov. 8.

Jewish Family/Child Series – Ms. Carol Kekst, Coordinator (10 Wednesday mornings, 9 – 10 A.M.; dates to be announced). Workshops on child-raising issues.

Hebrew Crash Course – Mrs. Vivian Finkel (6 dates beginning Sept. 7, 7 – 8:15 P.M.). Guaranteed to unlock the door to Hebrew literacy.

Advanced Hebrew – Mrs. Vivian Finkel (Thursday afternoons, 1 – 2:15 P.M.; dates to be announced).

Plus Holiday Workshops, Outstanding Special Lectures, Shabbat Lunch & Learn with Distinguished Guest Speakers, additional courses and ongoing programs.

COURSES OFFERED AT NOMINAL FEES.

Please call Synagogue office, Mrs. Zemmel, (212) 369-2600 for brochure and more information.

Some of Rabbi Lincoln's Interesting Activities

Rabbi Lincoln has been appointed to the Board of Directors of the Leo Baeck Institute and was elected first vice president of the Synagogue Council of America.

With the publication of his book, *The Jewish Ministry and Jewish National Autonomy in Ukraine*, he has been invited to speak at various universities: Kiev; the University of Alberta, Canada; and at Harvard University's Ukraine Studies Department.

In addition, his papers on surrogate mothers and on certain aspects of business ethics will appear in a scholarly volume published by the Rabbinical Assembly.

Rabbi Lincoln was a guest lecturer at Camp Ramah in the Berkshires this past summer and appeared on a WOR Channel 9 program which discussed current issues affecting the Jewish community.

He also was among the small group of Jewish leaders invited by Cardinal O'Connor to discuss issues of Jewish-Catholic relationships, at which Ambassador Colette Avital also spoke, and was among the invitees who met with Congresswoman Maloney on behalf of the New York Board of Rabbis.

The Women's Evening Group Will Begin Its Year With Three Special Events

Its Annual New Member Reception

All new female members of the Park Avenue Synagogue will be feted by the Women's Evening Group on Monday evening, September 20 at a member's home. There will be wine, women, and song, and, of course, goodies to eat. Guitarist and singer, Mira Gilbert, who teaches musicology and folksong, will entertain.

This is a wonderful opportunity to find out more about the Women's Evening Group and to meet a dynamic group of women in an informal, warm and friendly setting. The group hopes to see new members there!

Sing-Along In The Sukkah With WEG

The Women's Evening Group is pleased to host dinner in Park Avenue Synagogue's beautiful Ritter Sukkah on Monday evening, October 4. Our new assistant cantor, Judith Naimark, will lead us in song. Come and enjoy Cantor Naimark's special selections for this festive holiday! And partake in the mitzvah of eating in the sukkah!

Members-Only Jewish Museum Tour Tuesday, October 19

Join WEG early this year and save the date, Tuesday evening, October 19th! On this date, WEG will sponsor a guided tour of the recently reopened Jewish Museum's new exhibits. This special event is for members only! The tour will be followed by a reception at the synagogue, at which you will be able to discuss the tour, renew old friendships, and begin to establish new ones.

Sisterhood Dates To Remember

Plan to attend the following three Sisterhood events:

• On Thursday, October 7, Sisterhood's **Hyde Park Adventure** will take you through the Vanderbilt Mansion, a symbol of wealth and industry; through the foliage and gardens of the Hudson Valley; and to the home of Franklin D. Roosevelt, a national historic site. You will have lunch at Beekman Tavern, one of the oldest inns in the U.S., dating from 1776. A deluxe bus will depart from the synagogue at 9 A.M. The cost will be $55.

• On Tuesday, October 26, take part in a **docent lecture at the Jewish Museum**, to be followed by lunch. Meet at the museum at 11:15 A.M. The cost will be $20.

• On Wednesday, December 15, Sisterhood is planning **a spectacular brunch** as its annual fundraising event.

Make sure to mark your calendars now! Hold these dates! Sisterhood is off to a wonderful start! It has begun to plan another year of exciting programs and special events. Plan to take part in all of them!

Men's Club Membership Drive

Throughout the year, the Men's Club fosters friendship and camaraderie at monthly meetings, the daily minyanim, at a Sukkot dinner, Sunday brunches, the annual Men's Club Friday Night Service, sporting events, and cultural activities. Men's Club members also serve as ushers in the Main Sanctuary for Shabbat morning, High Holiday, and Festival services.

The Men's Club will be initiating its annual fall membership drive. Plan to join this worthwhile synagogue "arm" today! You will be glad you did!

For membership information, please contact one of the following people: Milt Gelman (O:629-0404); Les Agisim (O:371-3933); Al Appel (O:806-6625); Bob Becker (O:752-3380); or Mal Eisenberg (H:861-2870). Call and become involved in this wonderful organization!

Annual Pre-High Holiday Hebrew Crash Course With Vivian Finkel

To follow the High Holiday services with ease, sign-up *today* for master teacher, Vivian Finkel's annual pre-High Holiday Hebrew Crash Course! It will be given on the following dates and times: Tuesday through Thursday, September 7, 8, and 9 from 7 to 8:15 P.M.; Sunday, September 12 from 10 A.M. to 12 Noon; and Monday and Tuesday, September 13 and 14 from 7 to 8:15 P.M. The course is sponsored by the Sherr Institute of Adult Jewish Studies. Tuition is $36. Please call Mrs. Zemmel at the synagogue office (369-2600) to register for the course.

Judith Naimark

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Entering the cantorate has allowed Judy Naimark to combine all the things that matter most to her into her life's work. She is proud to have been chosen to serve as assistant cantor of the Park Avenue Synagogue and looks forward to becoming part of this community.

One More Minyan-The Alternative High Holydays Service

Park Avenue Synagogue again will be hosting *One More Minyan*, an alternative service for the High Holydays. This alternative service will be led by Rabbi Judd Kruger Levingston who is preparing an interesting program of informal and participatory study and worship to appeal primarily to young men and women in their 20's and 30's.

The services will be held in the Appleman Chapel on the following dates and times:

• First day of Rosh Hashanah, Thursday, September 16 at 10 A.M.
• Second day of Rosh Hashanah, Friday, September 17 at 10 A.M.
• Kol Nidre, Friday evening, September 24 at 6:30 P.M.
• Yom Kippur, Saturday morning, September 25 at 10 A.M.

We Take Pride In

Vivian Finkel, who will receive the Jewish Children's Museum's outstanding educator award at its inaugural cocktail party this month.

Menachem Z. Rosensaft, who wrote an article, "Jewish Values and the Clinton Administration," which appears in the Fall 1993 issue of *United Synagogue Review*, the official publication of the Conservative Movement. In this article, he discusses how the administration's social agenda is fully in keeping with Jewish tradition. Copies of the article are available at the synagogue.

Martha K. Selig, who was honored for her passionate leadership in developing mental health and social services programs. The Jewish Board of Family and Children's Services Educational Institute was renamed the Martha K. Selig Educational Institute at a dedication ceremony on May 5th.

Gerald Silbert, who was awarded an Honorary Fellow's Degree by the Technion, the Israel Institute of Technology, in Haifa on June 13th in recognition of his distinguished service and support of the Jewish people, the State of Israel, and the Technion.

Notes From The Edmond de Rothschild Library

The library will reopen on Monday, September 13th at 3 P.M. Please see the Calendar on page 11

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for the library's regular schedule of hours. However, the library will be closed on the following dates: September 15, 16, 26, 29, and 30.

New Adult Books:

Block: *Rescuers' Portraits of Moral Courage in the Holocaust*
Butnaru: *The Silent Holocaust: Romania and Its Jews*
Cohen: *The Truth About Marvin Kalish*
"Degenerate Art" Catalog – from the 42nd Street Library exhibit
Earl: *Boat of Stone*
Fraade: *From Tradition to Commentary*
Frankiel: *The Voice of Sarah*
Friedman: *Encounter on the Narrow Ridge-A Life of Martin Buber*
Gates of Shabbat – from the Conference of American Rabbis
Grossman: *Making Peace With My Mother*
Hartman: *Conflicting Visions*
Hertzberg: *Jewish Polemics*
Hughes: *Prisoners of Hope*
I Never Saw Another Butterfly-new edition
Kaplan: *The Making of the Jewish Middle Class*
Kerteaz: *Fateless*
Kovner: *Scrolls of Fire-The Nahum Goldmann Museum of Jewish Diaspora*
Kushner: *G-d Was in This Place and I Did Not Know It*
Kushner: *To Life! A Celebration of Jewish Being and Thinking*
Lincoln, David H., Rabbi: *The Jewish Ministry and Jewish National Autonomy in Ukraine*
Lipstadt: *Denying the Holocaust-The Growing Assault on Truth and Memory*
Parker: *Einstein's Dream*
Rapoport: *Preparing for Sabbath*
Safire: *The First Dissident*
Shaham: *The Rosendorg Quartet*
Sherman: *The Sampler of Jewish American Folklore*
Stone, Ira F., Rabbi: *Seeking the Path to Life*
Topas: *The Iron Furnace – A Holocaust Survivor's Story*
Umansky, editor: *Four Centuries of Jewish Women's Spirituality*
Weil: *The Bride Price*

New Juvenile Books:

Adler: *A Picture Book of Anne Frank*
Hest: *The Go-Between*
Snyder: *G-d Must Like Cookies, Too!*
Weiss: *The First Night of Hanukkah*
Zalben: *Beni's First Chanukah*

Again, we are proud to add to our collection Rabbi David H. Lincoln's new book: *The Jewish Ministry and Jewish National Autonomy in Ukraine!*

We wish all our congregants and their families a Healthy and Happy New Year!

Susan Vogelstein
Grace Weil
Rose Rudich
Librarians

Farewell Letter From Rabbi Crespy

"Kol-hatchalot-kashot." "All beginnings are difficult," says our tradition. And the beginning of a new year is no different. If we really take this time of year seriously-as "Days of Awe" (*Yamin Nora'im*)-then each year in September and October, the Jewish month of Tishre, we are forced to examine who we are and what we stand for, what we have been in the last year and who we promise to be in the future. It is an *awesome* task. And, this year, it is especially hard for me. As you read these lines, I have already started my new position as rabbi of the Conservative Synagogue of Fifth Avenue. This year, I will need to ask myself some very serious questions: what kind of rabbi will I be? The kind who warmly welcomes people to the synagogue or who turns them away? The kind who has tolerance for the pranks of adolescents or the kind who turns them off to Judaism? The kind who sets high standards for Jewish observance or the kind who accepts mediocrity as unavoidable? These are the important questions which face me as I begin the new year, and I imagine you will be able to apply them to your own life as you ask yourself the question: What kind of person, Jew, citizen, and worker am I going to be in the year ahead?

In reflecting on my deeds of the past year, and, indeed, the past two years at Park Avenue Synagogue, I can say that they have been deeply fulfilling and busy years. They have been filled with the daily minyan, Shabbat services, bar and bat mitzvah lessons, weddings, funerals, Havurah services, and adult education classes. They have been enriched by stimulating conversations with congregants, with singing at our communal Shabbat tables, and with intense moments of study as we poured over the Talmud together. They have been filled with moments of deep satisfaction when I knew I had eased someone's pain, and times of frustration when I felt helpless to comfort someone's suffering. I have learned a great deal in these last two years about Jewish life in a special community. I have been enriched by Rabbi Lincoln, Rabbi Nadich, Cantor Lefkowitz, Cantor Bigeleisen and so may of you in this extraordinary community. I am deeply indebted to you for your love, support, and enthusiasm over the past two years. I wish for you in the coming years a life of good health, peace, and as much fulfillment as you have given me.

L'Shanah Tovah Tikatavu.

— Rabbi Melissa Crespy

A Letter From Cantor Bigeleisen

To My Park Avenue Synagogue Family:

Debi, Tovah, and I would like to thank all of you for making the last two years some of the very happiest in our lives. Your affection, good will, and support have made easy all my many tasks at Park Avenue Synagogue and I have felt very joyful in accepting the challenge of finding new ways to serve you better. It has been an honor for me to be your assistant cantor and to call my daughter a Park Avenue Synagogue girl!

Although we are moving a little distance away, we will always feel very close because of the wonderful friendships we have made here. In the future, when we look at the beautiful gifts you presented to us on my last Shabbat, we will think of you very fondly and know that God was very good to us in bringing us to Park Avenue Synagogue.

We would be very pleased if, should you come to Los Angeles, you would let us know so that we could see you. Our address is:

Cantor Ira, Debi, and Tovah Bigeleisen
12223 Huston Street
North Hollywood, CA 91607
(818) 980-4303

Congregation Adat Ari El
12020 Burbank Blvd.
North Hollywood, CA 91607
(818) 766-9426

We feel very lucky to have seen and been a part of the very best that Conservative Judaism can offer. I only hope that I can carry out what I have learned and be a credit to you in my new position. May all of you be blessed with health, happiness, and prosperity in the coming year.

Sincerely,
Ira S. Bigeleisen

A New Gift Shop *Judaica Classics by Doina* Will Open At Park Avenue Synagogue This Month

After Labor Day, plan to visit and browse through Park Avenue Synagogue's new and full service gift shop brought to you by Doina Bryskin of *Judaica Classics*. There you will find a large selection of all kinds of Judaic items for your Shabbat and holiday observance as well as for your life-cycle simhah and gift-giving needs.

Doina periodically scouts the world market for the best available contemporary Judaica, from inexpensive to museum quality silver and artistically rendered items in ceramic, glass, and wood. She is able to fill special orders within a couple of days and even work with you to customize the work of 20 different Judaic artists for that unique, one-of-a-kind ketubbah, piece of jewelry, or milestone event gift. Her prices are competitive, the same as in Israel.

For your regular observance needs, she offers a large selection of candlesticks with a new type of non-drip oil wick in various styles (a *must* if you hate the mess made by the traditional white, drippy Shabbat candles), a large assortment of tallitot from the very traditional to the very contemporary in all sizes, a full selection of hand-painted kippot, ketubbot, mezzuzot, and *benchers* (for saying grace after a wedding feast), as well as a small selection of today's most popular Jewish

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books (with orders taken upon request and filled within a couple of days).

> *And for Sukkot at the end of this month, you can order your lulav and etrog from her by Wednesday, September 22 by calling her either at 831-4500 or through the synagogue office. Don't delay! Do it today!*

She will be available to serve the Judaic needs of our congregation, to help beautify our life-cycle, milestone events, and mitzvot, and to help us find those items, which represent important aspects of our beautiful Jewish heritage, which we would *want to have* in our homes or purchase as meaningful items to pass on to our children and grandchildren.

And by purchasing your Judaic items from her, you also will be benefiting the Park Avenue Synagogue.

Men's Club "Roses For Rosh Hashanah" Project

The Men's Club will be sponsoring its third annual "Roses For Rosh Hashanah" project. It is a wonderful opportunity for you to help raise funds for its much needed Educational and Cultural Scholarship Fund, beautify your home or table for the holidays, and send loving wishes to those near and dear to you by giving them a bouquet of roses for the New Year! For information about selections, costs, and when and how to order, please contact either Les Agisim (371-3933) or Josh Abelson (535-5085).

Condolences

Park Avenue Synagogue extends heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved of our congregation and to their families. To:

Mrs. Florence Edelstein, upon the death of her mother, Bertha Koch.
Mrs. Eugenie Fromer, upon the death of her husband, Leon Fromer.
Mr. Michael Gerber, upon the death of his mother, Lillian Gerber.
Mrs. Audrey Landau, upon the death of her grandmother, Pauline Grossman.
Mrs. Barbara Levine, upon the death of her husband, Joseph Levine.
Mr. Brian Lustbader, upon the death of his brother, David Lustbader.
Mr. Jonathan Merrill, upon the death of his father, Yale Merrill.
Mrs. Abby Modell, upon the death of her grandmother, Pauline Grossman.
Mrs. Charlotte Nowick, upon the death of her husband, Abraham Nowick.
Mr. Michael Putterman, upon the death of his brother, Samuel Putterman.
Mr. Harold Schneider, upon the death of his father, Milton Schneider.
Mrs. Pat Weiss Schneider, upon the death of her mother, Gladys Weiss.
Mrs. Pat Weiss Schneider, upon the death of her father, Warren Weiss.
Ms. Hildi Smith, upon the death of her mother, Marian Newman.
Mrs. Carol Spinner, upon the death of her mother, Dorothy Brennglass.
Mrs. Kate Weinstein, upon the death of her father, Burton Spier.
Mr. Leonard Weintraub, upon the death of his mother, Carol Weintraub.
Mr. Robert Weintraub, upon the death of his mother, Carol Weintraub.

Mazer School of Religious Studies

Welcome back! Shanah Tovah! We are all ready and looking forward to a new school year with an exciting curriculum and engaging programs and events.

In August, six of our faculty members attended the CAJE Conference in San Antonia, Texas. They brought back with them new ideas and the latest in Jewish education.

Here is the elementary school schedule for September:

• Monday, September 13 - the first day of school.
• Wednesday, September 15 through Friday, September 17 - Rosh Hashanah. No classes.
• Thursday, September 16 and Friday, September 17 - Rosh Hashanah services: 10:30 A.M. to 12 Noon.
• Thursday, September 16, on the first day of Rosh Hashanah, we will hold a *Tashlich* service. Students and parents are invited to join this special ceremony at the East River. We will leave from the synagogue entrance on Madison Avenue at 12 Noon.
• Saturday, September 18 - A parent/student Gimel "Together" program will take place from 9 to 11 A.M. in Room 308. The topic will be: *Teshuvah*.
• Saturday, September 18 - Nitzanim service from 10:30 to 11:30 A.M. in Room 408.
• Friday, September 24 - Kol Nidre services from 6:30 to 8 P.M. Students in grades Gimel through Zayin will report to the Main Sanctuary at 6:15 P.M.; kindergarten through second grades will assemble in the Appleman Chapel at 6:15 P.M.
• Saturday, September 25 - Yom Kippur services will be held from 10:30 A.M. to 12 Noon.
• Wednesday, September 29 through Friday, October 1 - Sukkot. No classes.
• Thursday, September 30 - Sukkot service in the Appleman Chapel from 10 to 11 A.M.

Rabbi Judah Nadich High School

The high school faculty is planning an exciting year for our students. Among the many programs being planned are retreats and a summer trip to Israel.

And we warmly welcome two new teachers to the faculty, Diane Kushnir and Lowell Blackman, who will add new dimensions to the school's curriculum.

Scheduled for September are the following events:

• On Sunday, September 12, high school students throughout the New York metropolitan area are invited to hear a talk by the well-known Israeli scholar, Rabbi Adin Steinsaltz which will take place at the Ramaz School. Following this event, the students will proceed to fulfill a mitzvah, the cleaning of a synagogue on the Lower East Side for the High Holy Days, which has become an important tradition at the school.
• On Sunday, September 19 - registration from 10:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.
• On Wednesday, September 22 - registration from 4:30 to 6:30 P.M. and the first day of school for the Het class.

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master's degree and a doctorate in higher education administration from Columbia University.

Until July 1st of this year, she **was** Associate Dean of Studies and Dean of Freshmen and Sophomores at Barnard College. In that capacity, she served for eight years as administrator of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America — Barnard College undergraduate double degree program whereby students earn B.A. degrees from both institutions. She also teaches a freshman seminar on "Women, Literature, and Culture" at Barnard and serves on the Anti-Defamation League's National Advisory Board on Campus Affairs. Currently, Dorothy is Dean of the College at Barnard, a promotion about which all of us at Park Avenue Synagogue can take much pride!

Besides Michelle (17), Dorothy and Howard have two other daughters, Elizabeth (12), who will be bat mitzvah in April, 1994, and Abigail Rebecca (3); Dorothy, herself, was an adult bat mitzvah at Park Avenue Synagogue in 1992.

Dorothy is being honored as Kallah Mafteret on Simhat Torah for her commitment to Jewish education and for her many contributions to the Park Avenue Synagogue and its religious schools. We hope she will be willing and able to continue her involvement here for many more years to come!

Jerry Goodman

Jerry Goodman is being honored as Hatan Bereshit on Simhat Torah for his dedication and contributions to both the Jewish community and the Park Avenue Synagogue. He currently serves as executive director of the National Committee for Labor Israel. Prior to this position, he was executive director of The International Committee for Sepharad '92, and, before that, founding executive director of the National Conference of Soviet Jewry.

A life-long New Yorker, Jerry and his wife, Susan, have been members of the Park Avenue Synagogue for almost 16 years. During that time,

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he served for five years on a special committee, formed by Rabbi Nadich and chaired by Joanne Davis, to review both the educational programs and goals of the synagogue, and later served for six years on the Sherr Institute's Adult Education Committee; the last two years as its chairman.

Interestingly, Jerry Goodman's involvement with the Park Avenue Synagogue goes back even further, to 30 years ago when as a student he was an advisor in a youth program here. He also spent a year in Israel, in a leadership training program, and was a member of Habonim, the Labor Zionist Youth Movement.

Jerry graduated from City College of New York and then earned a master's degree in international relations and public administration from New York University. Subsequently, he worked for the American Jewish Committee and studied in a doctoral program at Columbia University, both at the same time!

Because of his love of Judaism and what it has to teach us, he also has taken many courses at The Jewish Theological Seminary of America.

Jerry and Susan have two children, Micah (24), one of the early directors of the Food Pantry Project, and Nina (22), who taught in our religious school and is currently pursuing a graduate program in special education at Columbia University Teachers College and at the Jewish Theological Seminary. Both are fine products of Park Avenue Synagogue's religious schools.

We also hope that Jerry will be able to continue to serve the Jewish community and our synagogue, time permitting, for many more years!

Contributions

Synagogues Offerings

Dr. Herbert Abrams, in memory of his mother, Ruth Abrams.
Ms. Mollie Abrams, praying in memory of her mother, Sarah Abramowitz.
Ms. Mollie Abrams, praying for the speedy recovery of Freda Leiter.
Mr. & Mrs. Philip Agisim, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
Dr. & Mrs. Jacob Applebaum, in honor of the naming of their granddaughter, Jessica Moss Evans, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Richard Evans.
Mrs. Belle Baier, in honor of her birthday.
Mr. Max Barandes, for Yizkor.
Mr. Max Barandes, in memory of his mother, Eva-Lena Barandes.
Mr. Clarence S. Barasch, in honor of his birthday.
Mr. Edward Barrett.

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You are cordially invited to have

DINNER IN THE RITTER SUKKAH

Wednesday, September 29 through Tuesday, October 5

All reservations are pre-paid and non-refundable. In case of rain, dinner will be served on the Lower Level.

Cost: $25 per person. $10 each for children under 8 years of age.

Please fill out, cut out, and return the reservation form below, marking the dinner(s) you will be attending, with your check made payable to Park Avenue Synagogue *IMMEDIATELY!*

RESERVATION FORM

Please check appropriate Sukkah Dinner(s):

1) Wednesday, September 29 at 6:30 P.M. hosted by Park Avenue Synagogue — #Adults ____ # Children ____ Under 8 ____ Over 8 ____ Total $_____

2) Thursday, September 30 at 6:30 P.M. hosted by the Men's Club — #Adults ____ # Children ____ Under 8 ____ Over 8 ____ Total $_____

3) Friday, October 1 at 7 P.M. Congregational Shabbat Sukkah Dinner — #Adults ____ # Children ____ Under 8 ____ Over 8 ____ Total $_____

4) Saturday, October 2 at 6:30 P.M. hosted by Park Avenue Synagogue — #Adults ____ # Children ____ Under 8 ____ Over 8 ____ Total $_____

5) Sunday, October 3 at 12 Noon Nursery School Sukkah Brunch — #Adults ____ # Children ____ Total $_____
For Nursery School Families Only
($10 per adult; $8 per child)
Two seatings: IIA, IIB, IIIB, C, D at 11:00 A.M.
III-IVE, IVA&B at 1:30 P.M.

Sunday, October 3 at 6:30 P.M. hosted by the Parents' Association (for grades Prozdor, Aleph, & Bet) — #Adults ____ # Children ____ Under 8 ____ Over 8 ____ Total $_____

6) Monday, October 4 at 6:30 P.M. hosted by the Women's Evening Group — #Adults ____ # Children ____ Under 8 ____ Over 8 ____ Total $_____

7) Tuesday, October 5 at 6:30 P.M. hosted by the Sisterhood — #Adults ____ # Children ____ Under 8 ____ Over 8 ____ Total $_____

Total Amount of Check Enclosed — Grand Total $_____

Name _____
(please print clearly)

Address _____

Telephone No. _____ (day) _____ (evening)

Help Decorate the Ritter Sukkah

Also, come help decorate the Ritter Sukkah! The more the better! It takes many hands to do the job and everyone is invited to join in the fun. Decorating will take place on Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, September 26, 27, and 28 from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M. Let us know when you are able to help. You will be performing a mitzvah! Please fill out the volunteer form below, cut it out, and return it to Park Avenue Synagogue.

VOLUNTEER FORM

I want to help decorate the Ritter Sukkah. I can come on:

☐ Sunday, September 26 Time _____ ☐ Monday, September 27 Time _____
☐ Tuesday, September 28 Time _____

Name _____
(please print clearly)

Telephone No. _____ (day) _____ (evening)

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The Belfer Foundation, in memory of Arthur Belfer.
Mr. Meyer I. Bell, in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of Andrew Bronstein.
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Bennet, in honor of Minnie Mittenthal's birthday.
Dr. Georgette Bennett, in memory of her husband, Rabbi Marc H. Tanenbaum.
Mrs. Ernestine Bernstein, in memory of her mother, Bertha Wolf.
Mrs. Florence Bernstein, in honor of her birthday.
Mr. Philip Bernstein, in honor of his birthday.
Mr. & Mrs. Philip Bernstein, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
Mr. Morris E. Biederman, in memory of his father, Jacob Biederman.
Mr. Jacques Bienenfeld, in memory of his wife, Estelle Bienenfeld.
Dr. David Blumberg and Lynda Blumberg, in memory of their father, Irving Blumberg.
Mrs. Vivian Blumenthal, in memory of her mother, Sallie Goldfarb.
Mr. Allan Blumstein, in memory of his father, Zelek Blumstein.
Marjorie B. Boneparth, in honor of Mrs. Minnie Mittenthal's 90th birthday.
Dr. & Mrs. Joseph Breindel, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
Mr. Frederick E. Brenner, in memory of his father, Lesser Brenner.
Esta & Wallace Chavkin, in memory of Carol Weintraub.
Mrs. Nathan Chazen, in memory of her parents, Ethel and Ignacy Friedman.
Jeanette & Nat Chazen, in honor of Mr. Joseph Rothchild's birthday.
Mr. Irving E. Cohen, in memory of his father, Louis Cohen.
Mr. Irving E. Cohen, in memory of his wife, Phyllis Cohen.
Mrs. Saara Cohen, in memory of her father, David Berenson.
Mrs. Albert Cornell, in memory of her father, Morris Levine.
Mrs. Albert Cornell, in memory of her mother, Helen Levine.
Mrs. Carol DeBear.
Hon. Conrad Duberstein, in memory of his father, Alex Duberstein.
Mrs. Dorothy Edelman, in memory of her husband, Samuel Edelman.
Mrs. Samuel Edelman, in memory of her mother, Sarah Gulkis.
Mrs. David N. Edelstein, in memory of her mother, Bertha Koch.
Mrs. Irene Eisenberg, in memory of her mother, Beckie Gershenson.
Mrs. Irene Eisenberg, in memory of her husband, Alex Eisenberg.
Mrs. Irene Eisenberg in memory of her father, Samuel Gershenson.
Mr. Bernard Elkies, in memory of his mother, Dorothy Elkies.
Mr. & Mrs. Norman Epstein, in memory of their daughter, Janice Epstein.
Mrs. Thelma Epstein, in honor of her birthday.
Mrs. Fannie Faytell, in memory of her husband, Michael Faytell.
Mrs. Fannie Faytell, in honor of her birthday.
Mr. Bernard Feinberg.
Sylvia & Arthur Fine, with our deepest sympathy to Helen Raticoff, Bea Koren, and Ruth Fuhrman upon the loss of their sister.
Sylvia & Arthur Fine, praying for the complete recovery of Charles Bennet.
Mr. John Fisher, in memory of his father, Joseph Fisher.
Mr. Jay Fleishman, in memory of his father, Robert Fleishman.
Mr. Irving Fletcher, in memory of his brother, Jack Fletcher.
Mrs. Irving Fletcher, in memory of her father, Samuel Steinberg.
Mr. Irving Fletcher, in memory of his mother, Jennie Fletcher.
Mr. Irving Fletcher, in memory of his father, Philip Fletcher.
Mr. & Mrs. Frederick M. Friedman, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
Mr. William Fuirst, in memory of his father, Abraham Fuirst.
Mr. & Mrs. Irwin Gedinsky, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
Mrs. Milton Gelman, in memory of her father, Frederick E. Goldstein.
Mr. & Mrs. Harold Geringer, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
Mr. & Mrs. Joel Glasky, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
Miss Anne Gold, in memory of Sarah Bank, Jacob Goldklang, and Rose Gold.
Mrs. Charlotte Goldklang, in honor of her birthday.
Mrs. Etta Goldstein, in honor of the recovery of the new baby in the family.
Mr. Abraham E. Goll, in memory of his father, Joseph Goll.

(Names not listed here will appear in the next issue)

Joan Cohen Scholarship Fund

Mr. Marvin J. Cohen

Committee For The Homeless & Community Outreach

Mr. & Mrs. Robert P. Antler
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Mr. Max Barandes
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Mr. & Mrs. Barry A. Bryer
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Chestnov
Mr. & Mrs. Alan N. Cohen
Mr. & Mrs. Richard W. Cohen
Dr. & Mrs. Franklin Davidson
Mrs. Joanne Davis, in honor of her birthday.
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Delgado
Mr. Harry A. Dubin
Mrs. Dorothy G. Edelman
Mr. Edwin Roy Eisen
Mr. & Mrs. Bernard Feinberg
Mr. & Mrs. Daniel J. Feld
Mr. & Mrs. Steven Feldman
Estelle & Anne Gold
Mrs. Elizabeth Goldberg
Ms. Edythe Goldin
Ms. Vivian Greenberg
Mr. & Mrs. Geoffrey Greener
Mr. & Mrs. Jacob Haberman
Mr. & Mrs. Maury Harris
Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin Honig
Mrs. Ruth Kantor, in honor of her birthday.
Mr. & Mrs. M. Howard Kaplan
Ms. Miriam Kaplan
Mr. Norton Lazarus
Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Levenson, in memory of their mothers, Frances Levenson & Herta Levi.
In honor of the 95th birthday of Mrs. Pearl G. Levy:
Ms. Ruth Gelfand
Mrs. Pearl G. Levy
Ms. Amy Linden
Mr. Howard B. London & Dr. Barbara S. Spivak
Mr. Abraham Odess
Mr. Mike Spivak
Mrs. Myra Spivak
Ruth & Harold Spivak
Sandra & Steven Spivak
Ms. Evelyne G. Weingold
Mr. & Mrs. Erwin J. Lurie
Mr. & Mrs. Alvin B. Marks
Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence J. Mittenthal, in honor of the 90th birthday of Minnie Mittenthal.
Mr. & Mrs. Jeffrey Mordos
Mr. & Mrs. Alan Moss
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Price
Mrs. Jane Revasch
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Rheinstein
Mr. & Mrs. James P. Robbins
Mr. & Mrs. Alain Roizen
Mr. Herman S. Sandler
Mrs. Gerta Scharf
Mr. & Mrs. Sylvan Schefler
Mr. & Mrs. Henry Schneider
Mr. & Mrs. Eric Steibel
Drs. Nathaniel & Gloria Shafer
Mr. & Mrs. George M. Shapiro
Mrs. Sitta Simon, in memory of Kurt Mane.
Mr. Florence Solomon
Mr. Richard Stadin
Mr. Hugh Grant Straus III
Ms. Leone Sue Straus
Dr. & Mrs. Howard A. Weiner
Dr. & Mrs. Harry Weinrauch
Mr. & Mrs. David Wollner
Women's Evening Group, in honor of the marriage of Nancy Beth Rosoff and Michael Morrow.
Dr. Charlotte Yudell
Mr. Henry Zacharias

High School Fund

Mrs. Evelyn Gelman, in honor of her birthday.
Shirley Livermore, in honor of Johanna Shargel's graduation from Yale University.
Mr. & Mrs. Andre Sassoon, in memory of Peggy Kline.
Dr. & Mrs. Harry Weinrauch, in honor of their children, Susanne, who is graduating Mt. Sinai Medical School, and Dr. Michael Weinrauch's marriage to Laura Brief.

High School Food Pantry

Mr. & Mrs. Bernard Aidan
Mr. Max Barandes.
Mr. Max Barandes, in appreciation of the honor given to me at Saturday's services.
Mrs. Robert Ceisler, in memory of her father, Albert Natelson.
Mr. & Mrs. Nat Chazen, in celebration of their 54th wedding anniversary.
Mr. & Mrs. Nat Chazen, in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Elizabeth Heller, granddaughter of Sue & Leon Heller.
Mrs. Irene Eisenberg
Mr. & Mrs. Mal Eisenberg, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
Mrs. Fannie Faytell, in memory of her husband, Michael Faytell.
Mr. & Mrs. Howard Goldberg, in memory of Morris Rosen.
Mr. & Mrs. Howard Goldberg, in memory of Leo Zeizel.
Mr. & Mrs. Jack Goldfinger, in memory of her brother, Harold J. Livingston.
Mr. & Mrs. Jack Goldfinger, in honor of the forthcoming marriage of Leah Hoffman to Shaul Kasousky in Bnei Brak, Israel.
Susan & Leon Heller, in honor of Sheila Tenenbaum's birthday.
Mrs. Ruth Kantor, in honor of her birthday.
Dr. & Mrs. Samuel Katz.
Mrs. Helen R. Kaufman, in honor of Judge Simon H. Rifkind's 92nd birthday.
Mrs. Esther Klein.
Mrs. Toni Krieger, in memory of her sister, Regina David.
Mr. & Mrs. Alan Levine, in honor of the B'not Mitzvah of Ashley and Lauren Antler, daughters of Mr. & Mrs. Robert P. Antler.
Mr. & Mrs. Alan Levine, in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Andrea Goldstein, daughter of Mr. Victor and Dr. Judith Goldstein.
Mrs. Helen Levine, in honor of Barrie Modlin's, being honored by the Jewish Theological Seminary.
Mr. & Mrs. Alvin Marks, in memory of Jerry Cohen.
Mr. & Mrs. Robert E. Miller, in memory of Marion Newman.
Mr. & Mrs. Robert E. Miller, in memory of Morris Rosen.
Dr. & Mrs. Kenneth I. Pearlman.
Mrs. Lite Sabin, in memory of her father, Peter E. Bielenberg.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS for SEPTEMBER, 1993

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
REMEMBER THE DAILY MINYANIM Monday - Friday at 7:15 A.M. Sundays and Legal Holidays at 9 A.M. Sunday -Thursday at 5:45 P.M. Saturday at 6:00 P.M.		**THE EDMOND DE ROTHSCHILD LIBRARY** **RE-OPENS MON., SEPT. 13 AT 3 P.M.** Library Hours: Sundays 9:30-12:30 P.M. Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays 3-6 P.M. Wednesdays 3:30-6:30 P.M.	**1**	**2**	**3** 6:15 P.M. **Friday Night Service** **Light Candles** 7:05 P.M.	**4** 9:15 A.M. **Shabbat Service** 6 P.M. **Afternoon & Evening Service & Study**
5	**6** **LABOR DAY** 9 A.M. **Bar Mitzvah of Samuel Weisberg**	**7** 8-8:50 A.M. **Study Mishnah with Rabbi Lincoln** 7-8:15 P.M. **Hebrew Crash Course**	**8** 7-8:15 P.M. **Hebrew Crash Course**	**9** 7-8:15 P.M. **Hebrew Crash Course**	**10** 6:15 P.M. **Friday Night Service** 8:15 P.M. **PASSingles Service & Oneg Shabbat** **Light Candles** 6:54 P.M.	**11** 9:15 A.M. **Shabbat Service** **Bat Mitzah of Vanessa Kramer** 9 P.M. **Selihot Lecture** 9:45 P.M. **Chorale Meditation** 10 P.M. **Selihot Service**
12 10 A.M.-12 Noon **Hebrew Crash Course**	**13** 7-8:15 P.M. **Hebrew Crash Course**	**14** 8-8:50 A.M. **Study Mishnah with Rabbi Lincoln** 7-8:15 P.M. **Hehrew Crash Course**	**15** 5:45 P.M. **Service** **Erev Rosh Hashanah** **Light Candles** 6:46 P.M.	**16** 8:30 A.M. **Service** **First Day of Rosh Hashanah** 5:45 P.M. **Service** **Light Candles** 7:48 P.M.	**17** 8:30 A.M. **Service** **Second Day of Rosh Hashanah** 6:15 P.M. **Friday Night Service** **Light Candles** 6:42 P.M.	**18** 9:15 A.M. **Shabbat Service** **Shahbat Shuvah** **Bat Mitzah of Jennifer Greene** 6 P.M. **Afternoon & Evening Service & Study**
19	**20** **WEG Annual New Member Reception**	**21** 12 Noon **Sisterhood Board Meeting** 8 P.M. **Men's Club Board Meeting**	**22**	**23**	**24** 1:30 P.M. **Minhah Service** 6:30 P.M. **Kol Nidre** **Light Candles Before Service**	**25** 9 A.M. **Yom Kippur Services** 3 P.M. **Yizkor Memorial Service**
26	**27** **WEG Board Meeting**	**28** 8 P.M. **Couples Cluh Board Meeting**	**29** 5:45 P.M. **Service** **Erev Sukkot** 6:30 P.M. **Sukkot Dinner** **Light Candles** 6:22 P.M.	**30** 9:15 A.M **Service** **First Day of Sukkot** 5:45 P.M **Service** **Light Candles** 7:24 P.M	**THE PARK AVENUE JUDAICA GIFT SHOP'S SCHEDULE OF HOURS** Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 11 A.M.-6 P.M. Tuesday 11 A.M.-8 P.M. Sunday 10 A.M.-2 P.M.	

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Barbara & Andre Sassoon, in memory of Shirley Pollack.
Jeannette & Daniel Schapiro, in honor of their grandson Joseph Kekst's first recitation of the Ashrei.
Mr. Mannes Schwarz, in memory of his mother, Ghitta Schwarz.
Mr. Mannes Schwarz, in honor of his birthday.
Ms. Arlene Sherman, in memory of her father, Jacob Aaron Stam.
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Hanna Peto, in honor of Mrs. Clara Hammel.

Howard Kieval Memorial Scholarship Fund

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Mr. David Factor, in memory of his mother, Eva Factor.
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Prayer Book Fund

Helene & Barry Berkowitz, in honor of Kurt Wimpfheimer's 80th birthday.
Mrs. Joanne Davis, in memory of her father, Samuel Victorsohn.
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Mrs. Helene Hahn, in honor of Ernestine Bernstein's birthday.
Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Junker, in honor of the 80th birthday of Mr. Kurt Wimpfheimer.
Mr. & Mrs. Seymour Milgrim, in memory of Leonard Low.
Edith Rothschild, in honor of Mr. Kurt Wimpfheimer's 80th birthday.
Ms. Arlene Sherman, in memory of her father, Jacob Aaron Stam.
Mrs. Sheila Tenenbaum, on the occasion of her birthday, May 1993.
Susan Wasserman, for her aliyah on Shabbat Balak.
Jacqueline Willens, in memory of Eva Freedman.
Mrs. Vicki Wimpfheimer, in honor of Minnie Mittenthal's 90th birthday.

David J. Putterman Music Fund

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Dr. & Mrs. Irving H. Parnes, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

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Fannie Beller, in honor of Minnie Mittenthal's milestone birthday.
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Dr. Joseph Feuerburgh, in honor of his birthday.
Syd Rothenberg, praying for the complete and speedy recovery of Charles Bennet.
Syd Rothenberg, in memory of Sadie Rosenblatt, sister of Bea Koren, Helen Raticoff, and Ruth Fuhrman.

Welfare Fund

Dr. & Mrs. Samuel Katz, in memory of their loved ones.
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Mr. David Revasch, in honor of his birthday.
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Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin D. Seligman.
Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Spinner, praying for the speedy recovery of Mrs. Dorothy Brannglass.
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